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<u>KANSAS, Southeast</u>									
Chase County 3 W Saffordville	01	1636CST	1	55	0	0			Tornado (F0) Remained in open country.
Chase County 4 NW Saffordville	01	1655CST	1	55	0	0			Tornado (F0) Remained in open country.
Chautauqua County 5 E Sedan	08	1940CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Montgomery County 2 N Havana	08	1953CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Montgomery County 1 S Independence	08	2009CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Montgomery County Liberty	08	2030CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Labette County 6 SW Parsons	08	2045CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Montgomery County Coffeyville to Independence	09	0232CST 0430CST			0	0			Flash Flood At 232 AM CST, several streets and creeks flooded in and around Coffeyville. By 323 AM CST, the flooding had spread to Independence where many streets were flooded and the flooding of Sycamore Creek prompted the evacuations of all residents living along or near the creek.
Labette County 4 N Edna	09	0313CST 1205CST			0	0			Flash Flood Flash flooding forced the closure of Highway 101 from 313 AM CST thru 100 PM CST. At 105 PM CST, Highway 101 was reopened.
Elk County 5 W Howard	16	0440CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Elk County Grenola	16	0442CST			0	0			Hail (1.75)
Elk County 6 SW Howard	16	0444CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Elk County Moline	16	0449CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Montgomery County 10 SW Elk City	16	0512CST			0	0			Hail (0.88)
Montgomery County 5 NW Coffeyville	16	0515CST			0	0			Hail (0.88)
Chautauqua County Hale	16	0520CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Chautauqua County 2 NW Hale	16	0530CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Montgomery County Coffeyville	16	0539CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Montgomery County Coffeyville	16	0540CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Woodson County 1 SE Piqua	16	0735CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)



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Allen County									
1 E Humboldt	16	0746CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Harper County									
6 SE Duquoin	24	1530CST			0	0			Hail (0.88)
Cowley County									
Udall	24	1636CST			0	0			Hail (0.88)
Cowley County									
Atlanta	24	1648CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Cowley County									
6 N Winfield	24	1651CST			0	0			Hail (0.88)
Cowley County									
5 N Winfield	24	1655CST 1735CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Elk County									
Elk Falls	24	1735CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Large limbs blown down.							
Chautauqua County									
2 NE Hale	24	1752CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Large limbs blown down.							
Montgomery County									
Caney	24	1805CST			0	0	50K		Thunderstorm Wind (G70)
		A large microwave relay tower was blown over as were several bird sanctuaries and animal cages at a nearby zoological park							
Montgomery County									
3 S Elk City	24	1805CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Large limbs blown down.							
Montgomery County									
Coffeyville	24	1830CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52) ^M
Harper County									
Harper	25	2113CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Harper County									
Attica	25	2203CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Harper County									
Attica	25	2230CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Harper County									
Attica	25	2242CST			0	0			Flash Flood
		Highway 160 flooded as were a few houses.							
Sumner County									
.5 W Oxford	25	2353CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Sumner County									
Conway Spgs	26	0015CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
		Seven to eight inch diameter tree limb blown down.							
Cowley County									
Arkansas City	26	0058CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Sedgwick County									
Wichita	26	0105CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Two trees blown down with one falling onto a house.							



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Cowley County Arkansas City	26	0110CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind (G70) A 30-40 year old cottonwood tree was uprooted and fell onto a small garage. In addition, numerous other trees were uprooted and fell onto power lines severing power to approximately 700 residences.
Ellsworth County 2 SE Ellsworth	26	0120CST			0	0			Flash Flood Avenue "L" flooded.
Harper County 7 W Attica to Attica	26	0130CST 1100CST			0	0			Flash Flood Old Highway 160 closed.
Chautauqua County Cedar Vale	26	0131CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Chautauqua County Cedar Vale	26	0145CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Cowley County Winfield	26	0200CST			0	0	8K		Lightning Lightning set fire to a garage attic. The fire spread into the kitchen where damage to the ceilings and walls occurred
Harper County Harper	26	0200CST 1100CST			0	0			Flash Flood Cemetery Road closed.
Harper County 1 NW Anthony	26	0445CST 1100CST			0	0			Flash Flood Anthony Lake Road near dam and spillway closed. Later in the morning, the flash flooding spread across several county roads, two bridges were washed out, sandbagging performed at Anthony Lake and several houses were flooded.
Cowley County Arkansas City	26	0054CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Cowley County 5 E Winfield	26	0100CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Cowley County Arkansas City	26	0115CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind Arkansas City Police Dept. reported that a large tree had been blown across the road.
Cowley County Cambridge	26	0129CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Reno County Hutchinson	26	0100CST			0	0	30K		Lightning The chimney of an Episcopal church was struck "sometime early Friday morning", breaking off numerous bricks, some of which fell through the roof.
Ellsworth County 9 NE Black Wolf	26	1258CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Ellsworth County 6 N Ellsworth	26	1305CST			0	0			Hail (1.75)
Ellsworth County 4 N Ellsworth	26	1325CST			0	0			Hail (1.75)



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Reno County Buhler	26	1430CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Saline County 10 E Salina	26	1450CST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
Harvey County Hesston	26	1506CST 1507CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Marion County 4 E Peabody	26	1545CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Rice County Alden	26	2126CST			0	0			Hail (0.88)
Reno County 3 NW Plevna	26	2155CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Reno County Nickerson	26	2200CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Rice County 4 E Saxman	26	2205CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
		Numerous 3-5 inch diameter limbs blown down.							
Mcperson County Mc Pherson	26	2210CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
Harvey County 3 W Newton	26	2230CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
		Numerous 4 inch diameter limbs blown down.							
Marion County Lehigh	26	2235CST			0	0			Hail (0.88)
Chase County Cedar Pt	26	2254CST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
Sedgwick County 3 N Wichita	26	2255CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Chase County 2 W Elmdale	26	2258CST			0	0			Hail (1.25)
Sedgwick County Wichita	26	2314CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G53) ^M
		Occurred at McConnell AFB.							
Sedgwick County Colwich	26	2315CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Limbs blown down.							
Butler County Rose Hill	26	2318CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Chase County 1 W Clements	26	2318CST			0	0			Hail (1.25)
Butler County Towanda	26	2322CST			0	0	50K		Thunderstorm Wind (G65)
		Mobile home received considerable roof damage and a shed was blown over.							
Butler County El Dorado	26	2325CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G61)
		Numerous 8 inch diameter limbs blown down at intersection of Central and Washington.							



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Butler County El Dorado Res	26	2325CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind (G65)
		Pop-up camper blown over.							
Butler County El Dorado	26	2326CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Limbs blown down.							
Cowley County Udall	26	2326CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Limbs blown down.							
Butler County Augusta	26	2330CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
		Limbs and signs blown down.							
Cowley County Udall	26	2330CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
		Three-four inch diameter limbs blown down.							
Butler County Rose Hill	26	2336CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Cowley County 5 N Udall	26	2336CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Cowley County Winfield	26	2339CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G50) ^M
		Occurred at Strother Field.							
Butler County Leon	26	2340CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
		Large limbs blown down.							
Butler County 2 NW Douglass	26	2346CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Large limbs blown down.							
Butler County 5 SE Rose Hill	26	2346CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Numerous limbs blown down.							
Cowley County Arkansas City	26	2346CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G53) ^M
Greenwood County Eureka	27	0000CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
		Widespread large limb damage.							
Elk County Howard	27	0005CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Tree blown down.							
Greenwood County Madison	27	0006CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Limbs blown down.							
Woodson County Toronto Lake	27	0015CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
		Several large limbs blown down.							
Chautauqua County Sedan	27	0016CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)



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Woodson County									
Yates Center	27	0021CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
									Limbs blown down.
Wilson County									
Altoona	27	0023CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G61)
									Tree limbs and power lines blown down across central part of county.
Montgomery County									
3 S Elk City	27	0031CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
									Large limbs blown down.
Allen County									
Iola	27	0035CST 0040CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G65)
									Estimated winds speeds of 52-65kts blew down large trees and power lines.
Neosho County									
Chanute	27	0035CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
									Several trees blown down throughout the city.
Montgomery County									
Cherryvale	27	0049CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G52)
Neosho County									
Chanute	27	0100CST			0	0	100K		Thunderstorm Wind (G56)
									Two large trees uprooted. The trees' roots, possessing a span of about 7 feet, lifted one side of a house from it's foundation, forcing the bathroom into the kitchen where the bathtub was found standing at a 45 degree angle! Both trees toppled onto a next-door neighbor's house causing damage to it's roof.
Labette County									
Parsons	27	0104CST			0	0	25K		Thunderstorm Wind (G65)
									The following property was damaged: Siding was ripped from a house, metal roofing was ripped from the tops of two small businesses, a temporary wall at a building supply proved to be just that as it was blown down, and a sign that had been set with 4-inch metal pipes was bent over. In addition, damage to trees and power lines was widespread
Neosho County									
Chanute Arpt	27	0035CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (G57) ^M
Allen County									
Humboldt	27	0036CST			0	0	7K		Thunderstorm Wind
									The high winds destroyed a garage.
Allen County									
La Harpe	27	0044CST			0	0	12K		Thunderstorm Wind
									All of the walls of a garage were blown down causing considerable damage
Allen County									
2 NE Moran	27	0047CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
									The high winds blew a 100 foot maple tree onto a porch destroying it.
Allen County									
2 SE Moran	27	0048CST			0	0	30K		Thunderstorm Wind
									The high winds destroyed a chicken house, a cattle barn, and a machine shop.